He Predicts Major Leagues

Will Return to Old Sys-

tem of Getting Players.

Shreveport, La. March 24-1 am firmly consinced," said Ruck Herzog, "that the time for the re-employment of major league securit, all along the line, is almost at hand, and I only hope the Cincinnati, club provides itself with a counte of zood ones. Last season, with the economic measures that had to be practiced in many cities, and with the clubs actually afraid to search for much young talent, lest the Federals steal their finds, the scouts fost out in numerous instances. Several good old veterans, who had for years made their flying to this mannet, were thus chased off the payroll, and with condicions as they were, it could hardly be otherwise.

"Now I think these will be."

GHAHAM MAY GO TO ST. JOSEPH

Commercial Leaguers Will Stage Another Double Bill Sunday Afternoon; The Western League Club Now Claims Claude Graham Accepted Terms Last Fall and Wants the Pitcher.

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Claude Graham is now in somewhat of a pickle. The Army lengue star quoted his teims to Marry Kanr, on behalf of the St. Joseph club of the Western lengue, last fall and afters want a signed with the Los Angeles club ont the Coast league. He is now in the Angel camp at Elainore, Calland the Los Angeles ribe Coast league. He is now in the Angel camp at Elainore, Calland the Los Angeles ribe to the Coast league. He is now in the Angel camp at Elainore, Calland the Los Angeles ribe the Coast league, the list had been always to any of Graham's troubles. The Los Angeles ribe the Coast league, the list had been always to any of Graham's troubles. The Los Angeles ribe the Coast league, the list had been always to any of Graham's troubles. The Los Angeles ribe the Coast league, the list had been always against the Pl Pass club of the Western league, and as the coast league the list had been always and the particle and the coast ribe of the Coast league. He is now in the Angel camp at Elainore, Calland the constructed by the Coast league the list had been the Coast le

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SOME TID-BITS ON THE BIG FIGHT



Leader of Athletics Declares That Veterans and Young Players Will Make a Fast Team This Year, But Few Fans Agree With Him; Athletics Look Ragged and Weak; Will Be Good in Few Years.

BY FRANK G. MENKE.

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"Beck's" Amen Corner

CIGARETS caused the sale of Chick Gandil by the Washington club. Gandil is an inveterate "coffin nail" smoker and when manager Griffith started fining players \$10 to \$20 for every "puff" during the training season, Chick figured that he'd be owing the club money at the end of the season and asked that he be sold or traded.

BOTH Frank Moran and Jess Wil-D lard are reported as being "peev-ish" and it is evident that both are trained pretty fine for the big bout in Gotham Saturday night. Willard isn't done as "fine" as some of his followers would like to see him, according to all reports, but he is in good shape and the fans look for a hard battle.

BULLETINS of the Willard-Moran fight will be called from The Herald balcony on Saturday evening. The bout should start about 8 oclock, El Paso time.

DON'T forget the "wake" of the City Basketball league at the Y. M. C. A. this evening. It promiess to be a real lively affair. There's going to be a hot discussion over the right of certain teams for a "cut" in the gate receipts. And nobody is going to be able to declare a dividend,

CHICAGO A. C. is to spend \$60,000 on a new "sun parlor." Sunshine must come high in the Windy City. It would be cheaper to send their athletes for a short jaunt to El Paso.

Now that the time of the Willard-Moran fight is close at hand, the critics are getting down to naming their choices. Most of them are for Willard but if Moran wins you'll find that the great majority will be writing "I told you so" stun. That's what they pulled when they got

GEORGE PIERCE and Gene Packark, of the Cubs, already claim one record. They assert that they can eat more at the training camp than any other two baseball players. And yet the Chicago scribes with the team assert that the players don't show any results from the big eat-

TRIS SPEAKER, according to eastern papers of last Monday, had not then signed his contract with the Red Sox, alleging that they wanted to slice his salary from \$16,000 to \$8000. Tris points out that he remained loyal to his club during the baseball war and that he is at least worth as much as some of the stars who jumped and have been taken back into the fold at fat salaries. Speaker will have the fans with him in his contract trouble. It is likely that the Boston club will be reasonable and compromise with the star outfielder.

BENNY KAUFF may be the leader of the National league batters this year but he ian't showing the swat stuff in the exhibition games. So far he has gathered just three hits. That will entitle Benny to rank with the pitchers in the batting tions as they were, it could hardly be otherwise.

Now, I think, there will be a general revival of baseball interest, also a general revival of activity among the minor leagues. That will mean the development of many good young players, and the services of high class scouts will be really necessary. A scout is useful two ways. He can discover young talent, and he can also warn against the over enthusiastic recommendations given many juniors long before they are ready for the fast company. Capable acouts are coming into their own again, and I'd like to see Chrismati employ two of them. Which two? I have no recommendation to make; no choice among 20 or more perfectly able candidates. Any two out of the 28 would be acceptable to me, and I only bepe the home offices will reap some benefit from the employment of a couple.

FORMER COPPER LEAGUE MANAGER VISITS CITY

Freddie Owens, formetly manager of the Silver City team of the Copper league of 1913, arrived in El Pano Wednerday afternoon from Hurley, N. M., where he has been living for the past two years. Owens will return to his home Friday afternoon driving a new Cakland touring car which he purchased shortly after his arrival Wednesday afternoon. Al though he has given up baseball Freddie is an enthusiastic booster of the national pastime, as in the past he has been identified with some of the foremost teams of the country.

FROEMING MAKES BRILLIANT TOTAL IN BOWLING EVENT

Toledo, Ohio, March 3s.—A brilliant 7st total by William Freeming of Detroit in the two man event was the feature of Thursday's bowling in the minor event of the American Bowling congress tournament. Freeming was patred with Ed Raisch and the men piled up 1250 for seventh place for the best showing of the day. Lee Alien, a brother of Ray and Harold, who won the doubles a year ago, element up 625 for its top mark in the individuals for the day.

GREEK CHAMP SLAMS STECHER ON MAT, BUT IS BEATEN

Butte, Most, March 24.—Bill Demetral, who slyins himself the Greek champlon, litted Joe Stocher of Nebraska, claimant of the world's heavyweight champlosship, high in the air bare Thursday olght and chammed him to the mat. Stacher saved himself from a full, however, and finally defeated Demetral.

The Copper club, which staged the bost, annuanced a bid of \$50,000 for the Gotchestocher match in Butts in July.

AL REICH OUTFIGHTS

"FORKY" FLYNN EASILY
New York, March 3L.—Al Reich of this
city, outfought "Porky" Flynn of Roston in
a ten round bout here Thursday night,
Flynn was knocked down in the first round,
Reich weighed 311 pounds and Flyon 195.

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